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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 10, 2003, be extended for three months to and including August 10, 2003.

Enclosed is a check for \$930 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket number 10845-014002.

Respectfully submitted,

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